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Entitled:

BANK NOTE PROCESSING MACHINE AND METHOD FOR OPERATING  
BANK NOTE PROCESSING MACHINE

- ☒ 1. Submitted herewith are the following:

10 pages of specification.

☒ Abstract.

1 sheet(s) of drawings.

14 claim(s).

☒ Oath/Declaration unsigned by each inventor.

☒ Preliminary Amendment.

0 Information Disclosure Statement(s).

0 pages of Form PTO-1449, and one copy of each document listed thereon.

0 Assignment of the invention, Cover Sheet, and payment of the \$\_\_\_\_\_ recordal fee.

0 certified copy of application no. \_\_\_\_\_ filed in \_\_\_\_\_. Priority is claimed.

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- ☐ 2. SMALL ENTITY STATUS IS ASSERTED pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27 for this application.

- ☒ 3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.


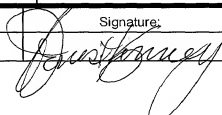
- ☐ 4. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: - - This application claims the benefit of provisional application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_. - -

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- ☒ 6. Assignee: **Giesecke & Devrient GmbH** \_\_\_\_\_.

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